Claims:

1. A water soluble container containing a concentrate composition comprising:

(a) at least one cationic surfactant having germicidal properties;

(b) at least one non-ionic surfactant;

(c) at least one organic solvent having a solubility in water of at least 4%wt.;

(d) optionally, at least one alkanolamine;

(e) optionally, at least one polyethylene glycol; and

(f) optionally, up to about 10% wt. of one or more conventional additives selected from coloring agents, fragrances and fragrance solubilizers, viscosity modifying agents, other surfactants, other antimicrobial/germicidal agents, pH adjusting agents and pH buffers including organic and inorganic salts, optical brighteners, opacifying agents, hydrotropes, antifoaming agents, enzymes, anti-spotting agents, anti-oxidants, preservatives, and anti-corrosion agents;

wherein said concentrate composition contains no more than 20%wt. water.

2. The container according to claim 1 which comprises a thermoformed or injection molded water soluble polymer.

3. The container according to claim 2 wherein the water soluble polymer is poly(vinyl alcohol).

4. The container according to claim 1 wherein the concentrate composition necessarily comprises (d) at least one alkanolamine.

5. The container according to claim 1 wherein the concentrate composition necessarily comprises (e) at least one polyethylene glycol.

6. The container according to claim 1 wherein the concentrate composition necessarily comprises both (d) at least one alkanolamine and (e) at least one polyethylene glycol.

7. The container according to claim 1 wherein the amount of (a) at least one cationic surfactant having germicidal properties is present in an amount of from about 0.01 to about 20 percent by weight.

8. The container according to claim 1 wherein (b) at least one non-ionic surfactant is present in an amount of from about 0.01 to about 40 percent by weight.

9. The container according to claim 1 (c) at least one organic solvent is present in an amount of from about 5 to about 97 percent by weight.

10. The container according to claim 4 wherein the (d) at least one alkanolamine is present in an amount of from about 0.01 to about 15 percent by weight.

11. The container according to claim 6 wherein the (d) at least one alkanolamine is present in an amount of from about 0.01 to about 15 percent by weight.

12. The container according to claim 5 wherein the (e) at least one polyethylene glycol is present in an amount of from about 2 to about 75 percent by weight.

13. The container according to claim 6 wherein the (e) at least one polyethylene glycol is present in an amount of from about 2 to about 75 percent by weight.

14. The container according to claim 1 wherein the concentrate composition contains no more than 15%wt. water.

15. The container according to claim 1 wherein the concentrate composition contains no more than 3%wt. water.

16. The container according to claim 1 wherein the concentrate composition contains no more than 1%wt. water.

17. The water-soluble containers of the present invention substantially as described with reference to the Examples.

18. A method of preparing a dilute treatment composition comprising placing a water soluble container containing a composition comprising:

(a) at least one cationic surfactant having germicidal properties;

(b) at least one non-ionic surfactant;

(c) at least one organic solvent having a solubility in water of at least 4%wt.;

(d) optionally, at least one alkanolamine;

(e) optionally, at least one polyethylene glycol; and

(f) optionally, up to about 10% wt. of one or more conventional additives selected from coloring agents, fragrances and fragrance solubilizers, viscosity modifying agents, other surfactants, other antimicrobial/germicidal agents, pH adjusting agents and pH buffers including organic and inorganic salts, optical brighteners, opacifying agents, hydrotropes, antifoaming agents, enzymes, anti-spotting agents, anti-oxidants, preservatives, and anti-corrosion agents;

wherein said concentrate composition contains no more than 20%wt. water into an amount of water within a container, and allowing the container to dissolve.

19. A process for treating a hard surface wherein the presence of undesired microorganisms e.g, gram positive type pathogenic bacteria such as *Staphylococcus aureus*, and/or gram negative type pathogenic bacteria such as *Salmonella choleraesuis* and/or *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, are suspected, comprising the process steps of: placing a water soluble container containing a concentrate composition comprising:

(a) at least one cationic surfactant having germicidal properties;

(b) at least one non-ionic surfactant;

(c) at least one organic solvent having a solubility in water of at least 4%wt.;

(d) optionally, at least one alkanolamine;

(e) optionally, at least one polyethylene glycol; and

(f) optionally, up to about 10% wt. of one or more conventional additives selected from coloring agents, fragrances and fragrance solubilizers, viscosity modifying agents, other surfactants, other antimicrobial/germicidal agents, pH adjusting agents and pH buffers including organic and inorganic salts, optical brighteners, opacifying agents, hydrotropes, antifoaming agents, enzymes, anti-spotting agents, anti-oxidants, preservatives, and anti-corrosion agents;

wherein said concentrate composition contains no more than 20%wt. water into a quantity of water;

allowing the water soluble container to dissolve in the water to form a diluted treatment composition;

and applying an effective amount of the diluted treatment composition to the surface in need of treatment in order to provide sanitizing or disinfecting effect thereto.